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TAGS: CASC, BL

SUBJECT: AMERICAN PRISONERS IN BOLIVIA

REF: LA PAZ 1763

PROPOSAL BY BOLIVIAN FOREIGN MINISTER FOR A TREATY INVOLVING EXCHANGE OF PRISONERS BETWEEN US AND BOLIVIA IS OF CONSIDERABLE INTEREST TO DEPARTMENT, AND WILL CONTINUE TO RECEIVE STUDY HERE. FOR THE MOMENT, INITIATION OF ANY ACTION TO NEGOTIATE SUCH A TREATY WOULD HAVE TO AWAIT SENATE DECISION ON TREATY WITH MEXICO, CURRENTLY UNDER REVIEW, AS WELL AS ON NEW EXCHANGE OF SANCTIONS TREATY WITH CANADA, WHICH WILL SHORTLY BE PRESENTED TO THE SENATE. AS YET, WE DO NOT HAVE A FIRM TIMETABLE FOR SENATORIAL ACTION ON EITHER OF THE ABOVE TREATIES, ALTHOUGH WE DO UNDERSTAND THAT THERE IS SENTIMENT WITHIN THE SENATE FOR A COMBINED APPROACH TO THE TWO AGREEMENTS.

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